DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock; failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	7·41	7·19	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	14·01	13·40	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...		7·47	

Agricultural operations.—Thrashing of ragi is going on.

Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Ragi, paddy, horse gram, togari, potatoes and avare are reported as being harvested. Sugar-cane is being milled in parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Channapatna, Anekal, Devanhalli Taluks. It is also reported that lands are being got ready for planting sugar-cane in parts of Tavarekere hobli of Magadi Taluk.

State of standing crops.—The standing crops, such as paddy, sugar-cane, castor, potatoes, mulberry and chillies are reported to be in a good condition.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Bangalore Taluk—sugar-cane 6 to 8 annas; Hoskote Taluk—potatoes 6 to 8 annas, ragi 4 to 10 annas; Nelamangala Taluk—ragi 8 to 16 annas; Dodballapur Taluk—sugar-cane 4 to 12 annas, paddy 4 to 12 annas; Magadi Taluk—ragi 8 to 12 annas, paddy 8 annas; Anekal Taluk—sugar-cane 8 annas, paddy 4 to 12 annas.

10. The prospect of the season is fair. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in a few villages of Bangalore, Magadi, Devanhalli, Anekal and Hoskote Taluks and small-pox in Mallahalli village of Nelamangala Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Fodder is available for the present, but rain is wanted soon.

KOLAR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are engaged in threshing ragi and milling sugar-cane in almost all the taluks of the district.

Crops sown.—Sugar-cane in Bowringpet, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Sugar-cane in Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Goribidnur, and Srinivaspur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; horse gram in Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Malur Taluks, yield 4 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy in parts of Kolar and Goribidnur Taluks and sugar-cane in Bowringpet, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices of food grains continue to be high. Labour is available to the cooly classes at present.

11. There have been a few cases of plague in Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Goribidnur and Malur Taluks. Otherwise public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Pasture and fodder are available at present in all the taluks, except in Bagepalli Taluk, where it is reported they are becoming scarce.

TUMKUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli and Sira Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, Bengal gram in parts of Gubbi Taluk and sugar-cane and jola in parts of Maddagiri Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Tumkur Taluk—paddy, sugar-cane, 4 to 6 annas; Maddagiri Taluk—togari and wheat, 4 to 8 annas; Bengal gram, 6 to 12 annas; jola, 6 to 10 annas; sugar-cane, 8 to 12 annas; Chiknayakanhalli Taluk—Bengal gram; Sira Taluk—Bengal gram, jola, sugar-cane and wheat, 4 annas; Pavagada Taluk—castor and horse gram, 4 to 6 annas; Kunigal Taluk—paddy, avare, castor and sugar-cane, 4 to 8 annas; Koratagere Sub-Taluk—sugar-cane; Turuvekere Sub-Taluk—Bengal gram and castor, 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, jola, wheat, togari, castor, cotton and green gram in parts of the district are reported to be generally in fair condition. Jola crop in parts of Chiknayakanhalli Taluk is reported to be withering for want of moisture.

10. Prospects of the season are generally fair, except in parts of Sira, Pavagada and Chiknayakanhalli Taluks. Food stuffs are generally available. Insufficiency of drinking water is felt in parts of Sira and Pavagada Taluks.

11. Except for small-pox in a few villages of the Sira and Pavagada Taluks, public health is reported to be generally good.

12. Except for 'Dodda roga' in Pavagada town and Neelappanahalli village in the Pavagada Taluk, cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are generally available at present, except in parts of Sira, Pavagada, Maddagiri and Chiknayakanhalli Taluks. Steps have been taken to improve the water-supply by the deepening of existing wells and excavation of temporary wells.

MYSORE.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Chamrajnagar and Nanjangud Taluks and French Rocks Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, coriander, Bengal gram, castor, cotton, mulberry and avare are reported to be in a fairly good condition.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Mysore Taluk—paddy, ragi, avare, horse gram and togari; Chamrajnagar Taluk—paddy, ragi, jola 4 to 8 annas, horse gram 4 to 6 annas; Seringapatam Taluk—sugar-cane; Gundlupet Taluk—ragi 2 to 8 annas: Nanjangud Taluk—ragi; Malvalli Taluk—ragi, horse gram; Nagamangala Taluk—sugar-cane and paddy; Heggaddevankote Taluk—horse gram, 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good. Food stuffs are available. Difficulty for water is reported to be felt in some of the villages of Chatrahalli hobli, Mysore Taluk.

11. Plague is reported to prevail in parts of all the taluks, except Malvalli, Mandya, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala and small-pox in parts of Mandya Taluk.

12. Except for Dodda roga in parts of Mysore Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are reported to be available.

HASSAN.

8. Market is well supplied.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, kar paddy, castor and Bengal gram in the Hassan Taluk; avare, Bengal gram, castor in the Arkalgud Taluk; sugar-cane, Bengal gram in the Belur Taluk; avare, Bengal gram, castor, cholum and sugar-cane in some parts of the Arsikere Taluk; sugar-cane in Hole-Narsipur Taluk are in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Avare, Bengal gram in the Arkalgud Taluk; kadale, avare, togari in the Belur Taluk; sugar-cane, paddy, horse gram, avare in the Channarayapatna Taluk; Bengal gram, castor and avare in the Arsikere Taluk; dry crops and sugar-cane in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk, paddy and ragi in the Alur Sub-Taluk are being harvested. The raiyats are generally engaged in harvesting their crops. The raiyats in the Hassan and Belur Taluks are also engaged in ploughing their lands so as to make them fit for sowing.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for prevalence of small-pox in the villages of Yadekumari, Balehalla, Herimande in the Manjarabad Taluk and plague in the Belur Town and Halebid in the Belur Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in the taluks of Shimoga, Sagar and Tirthahalli; sugar-cane is being planted in the taluks of Shikarpur and Nagar and til is being sown in some parts of Tirthahalli Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in the taluks of Shimoga, Sagar, Nagar is reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane is being milled in the taluks of the districts except Channagiri and Kumsi; yennegar jola and Bengal gram are being harvested in the taluks of Honnali and Channagiri.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of Shikarpur Taluk and small-pox in a few villages of the Sorab, Sagar and Nagar Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Fodder and water are available. Cattle are generally healthy except for Rinderpest in parts of Shikarpur Taluk.

KADUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in the Chikmagalur and Mudgere Taluks.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur Taluk—potatoes and menthya; Kadur Taluk—besige jola, sugar-cane, Bengal gram and wheat; Tarikere Taluk—green gram; Koppa Taluk—sugar-cane and pepper; Yedahalli Sub-Taluk—sugar-cane. All these crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Chikmagalur Taluk—paddy, ragi, coffee, sugar-cane and Bengal gram, 8 to 12 annas; Kadur Taluk—avare, ragi, paddy, coriander, Bengal gram and sugar-cane, 8 to 12 annas; Tarikere Taluk—paddy, ragi, Bengal gram and sugar-cane, yield 12 annas; Koppa Taluk—paddy, areca and coffee, yield 10 to 12 annas; Mudgere Taluk—coffee, areca, yield 4 to 12 annas; Yedahalli Sub-Taluk—paddy, areca and sugar-cane, yield 8 annas; Sringeri—areca and sugar-cane, yield 6 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane, wheat, coffee, navane, Bengal gram and bili jola are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Chillies and coffee in the Challakere Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas; jola, cotton and Bengal gram in parts of Hiriyur Taluk; cotton, Bengal gram, and bili jola in the Davangere Taluk; ragi and jola, horse gram and paddy in the Molakalmuru Taluk; horse gram, castor, cotton in the Jagalur Taluk, yield 8 annas; ragi, navane, sajje, togari, chillies and castor in the Hosdurga Taluk; wheat (yield 2 to 8 annas); Bengal gram (4 to 8 annas); bili jola (yield 4 to 12 annas; and togari (yield 2 to 8 annas) in the Harihar Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy except for foot and mouth disease in parts of Challakere and Jagalur Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

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